

## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Walter Foster, Chairman, Community Preservation Committee

**FROM:** Lauren Rosenzweig Morton, Chairman, Board of Selectmen 

**DATE:** November 12, 2010

**SUBJECT:** Town Proposals for CPA Funding – Priority List

The Board of Selectmen voted at its meeting on Monday, November 8, 2010, to recommend the following municipal proposals, listed in order of priority, for Community Preservation Act funding:

Proposal	Funding (\$)	Remarks
1) Open Space Set-Aside	500,000	
2) Asa Parlin House – Phase 1, at minimum	60,000-80,000	If sufficient CPA funds were available, the Board would support funding of the balance of the project, as well, for a total of \$326,170.
3) Library window	15,000	
4) Town Hall windows	75,000	
5) Trail Through Time, Phase III in part	40,000 (approx.)	The Board supports funding for the stone work, sluice work and other work qualifying as historic preservation. The balance of the project (pavilion, parking lot gate, landscaping, other) requires clarification of eligibility for CPA funding, which Town Counsel eventually will provide about all timely filed funding proposals.

The Board is inclined to postpone for another year funding (reinstated funding, essentially) for the East Acton Village Green (\$100,000), to enable better coordination with the implementation of plans for Morrison Farm, as to which the Board made final recommendations at the November 8<sup>th</sup> meeting, and the design-work for the Bruce Freeman Rail Trail.

If the Board can be of further assistance to the Community Preservation Committee, please let the Board liaison, Janet Adachi, know. Thank you.